MYSORE DISTRICT.

The 13th February 1880.

Descriptive roll of a convict who escaped from a working party at the New Female Hospital, Mysore, about 2 P. M. on the 12th February 1880 :—

Jail Register No.—8004. *Name and Father's Name*—Venkatachari, son of Krishnamachari. *Place of Residence*—Chikballapur. *Caste and Profession*—Vaishnava Brahman, ryot. *Age and Height*—28 years, 5 feet and 10 inches. *Crime, and Period of Sentence*—Robbery, 4 years' rigorous imprisonment from 14th September 1878. *Awarding Court*—Kolar District Deputy Commissioner, Case No. 11 of 1878. *Descriptive Marks*—Color dark, oval face, scars over left-thigh, scars over dorsum of right foot.

A reward of Rs. 25 is offered for the prisoner's re-capture.

T. J. MCGANN,
Superintendent, Mysore Jail.

Season Report of the Túmkúr District for the month of February 1880.

Rain-fall.—No rain fell.

Weather.—Warm. Sky was generally bright.

Crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy were sown, and those harvested during the month were Kartik paddy, castor-oil seed, ballar, Bengal-gram and coriander seed.

Health.—Fever, cough, chicken-pox and measles were prevalent throughout the District, and the number of deaths reported in January 1880 from all causes amounted to 884 against 806 shewn in the month of December 1879.

Cattle.—Loss among cattle was 931 against 631 shewn for the month of January. Of the total number of deaths, 623 were in Kunigal owing to the strong prevalence of murrain in that taluk.

Lands.—Lands paying an assessment of Rs. 531—10—6 were taken up for cultivation, while there were no relinquishments.

Prices.—Slightly fallen.

E. CHITAMBARAM IYER,
For Dy. Commr.

Abstract of Meteorological Reports received from Head-Quarters of Districts in the Province of Mysore, from 16th to 29th February 1880.

District.	Thermometer. *Averages for the half month.*						Thermometer.		Rain.		Wind.
	9-30 A. M.			3-30 P. M.			Maximum.	Minimum.	Inches.	Cents.	
	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Difference.	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Difference.					
Kolar	75	...	...	72	...	...	80	70	...	...	...
Túmkúr ...	81	59	22	89	64	25	91	64	...	...	N. E.
Mysore*... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hassan	61	36	25	80	45	35	88	40	...	..	S. W. W.
Shimoga ...	71	...	...	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kadur ...	80	62	...	82	66	..	86	56	...	...	N. E.
Chitaldroog ...	80	...	...	83	...	...	...	...	...	...	N. E.

*Information not received.